

The Avalanche.

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POLITICAL AND MISCELLANEOUS.

The State Supreme court has decided that a justice of the peace can hold office until his successor is duly elected and qualified.

Hon. H. H. Swan, of Detroit, has been appointed by the President, to fill the vacancy in the office of Judge, for the Eastern District of this State.

The Farmers' Alliance in the South is not a separate party, it must be remembered. It works within the Democratic party. — *New York Sun.*

The press of the state is glorifying in the defeat of Rowland Connor, and the Saginaw Courier-Herald says he will now know that the state press is sometimes landed.

It begins to look as if the New York Senatorship would eventually be knocked down to the highest bidder. That's getting to be a too common method of making United States Senators.

An upper peninsula democrat showed his littleness by kicking the colored head waiter in a Lansing hotel, because he was mad. When arrested he feared to give his own name, and so, "John Doe, assault, \$5," is the way the dock-et reads. — *Det. News.*

It is now settled that George L. Yapple will not have the railroad commission. Mr. Whitman, of Ypsilanti, has already taken the job, and there is a cruel suspicion that there was a large, stout string attached to the governor's tender of the place to the Mendon man. — *Bay City Tribune.*

The Detroit Times says that only about 150 Democrats left that city to attend the inauguration at Lansing, while the railroad company had provided cars to transport 1000 of the faithful. To make up for lack of numbers, however, the Times says they provided liberally for Democratic enthusiasm by taking along twenty-five cases of beer and five cases of whisky.

There is a flattering prospect that the financial bill may be voted upon and disposed of within the next three days. Perhaps it may reach a vote to-morrow. That being the case, if the republican majority in the senate does not take up and press the federal election bill before the 1st of March it will be untrue to the trust reposed in it by the masses of the republican party. — *Bay City Tribune.*

Mr. Enright says the democratic party is likely to go to the demerit how-ways because he didn't get the clerkship of the supreme court. But there is plenty of democrats in Michigan who are inclined to the opinion that Mr. Enright has been pretty well taken care of by the democratic party, and that it doesn't make much difference whether he gets a fat office, this year or not. — *Bay City Tribune.*

The Marquette Mining Journal says that "for an organization that pretends to be in politics solely for principle, the farmers' alliance has a mighty keen appetite for office." That is true, but where is the alliance appetite being gratified? How much good is the alliance going to get out of the election to office of such fellows as Irby, in South Carolina, and others of lesser importance but equally rock-ribbed democracy? — *Bay City Tribune.*

If it is in order we should like to ask a question, which we trust some democratic editor may feel disposed to answer without accusing us of waving the "bloody shirt." If the republican postmaster at Carrollton, Mississippi, had shot down in cold blood and killed a democrat of that town, instead of being thus treated by a democrat, would he have been acquitted on the ground of "self defence," by the coroner's jury, as was the democrat?

A Baneroff man has managed to produce something unusually rare by crossing sorghum, strawberry and milk weed plants. He asserts that his gynastentis, as he terms it, will produce strawberries with sugar and cream at one growth. Orders are already flowing in for this wonderful production. — *Detroit Tribune.*

Free Trade organs should at least be consistent. When crops were abundant, exceeding the demand, these organs charged the low prices received by the farmer to the effect of a protective tariff. When crops are short and not sufficient to supply the demand they say that the protective tariff has nothing to do with the high prices the farmer received for his products. They claim that putting a tariff on foreign products, thus making the foreigner pay for the privilege of this market, does not benefit the home farmer. In other words they argue that the shipping in of millions of dollars worth of foreign produce every year would not injure the farmer of this country, that it would have no effect on the supply and demand. — *Ec.*

Pine Stump Lands.

Nature's methods are simple and direct. So much so that at times they are overlooked or lost sight of, in the expectation of some exhibition bordering on the marvelous. Thus, when a woodsman has passed over a piece of pine land, clearing it of its original growth, nature understanding the requirements of the soil, as heretofore explained, if allowed to proceed unimpeded, steps in and at once covers the surface quickly with a thick carpet of weeds seemingly worthless, but which are really called forth for protection of the ground while the seeds of the next growth of timber, lying dormant in the soil or borne thither on the wings of the wind, have time to germinate and gather strength to stand alone.

In other words, if the fire and plow are kept off the ground, the weeds will form the covering needed to keep on the proper chemical action necessary for the liberation of the plant food, while the deciduous trees that follow the pine are getting a foot hold, after which the old conditions are resumed, and there is another forest to replace the first. There has in this case been no real barring of the surface, for between the cutting of the original timber and the springing up of the weeds, the debris of the forest had acted as a covering. The whole effort of nature is to keep the surface covered, so that the heat and moisture may preserve an equilibrium. It is a fact that tame grasses, such as timothy, when sown on the undisturbed clearing, will grow rank and in great perfection, while if sown after the land has been burned over and laid absolutely bare, it will present but a sorry appearance if it even germinates at all. Pointed out and other vegetables will present the same phenomenon.

When, therefore, the land is to be cultivated, nature's plan must be followed, and a vegetable or other crop must be spread upon the soil as soon as possible after the debris has been removed. In the first place pine stump land should never be burned over, if it can be avoided, as burning destroys the coating of leaves, and twice and weeds already to land and which if destroyed as shown, must be replaced. This should be an axiom in the treatment. Gather the rubbish such as tops and limbs, that cannot be plowed under, into as large and compact heaps as possible and rake around them to prevent the fire from going over the ground; haul the logs to one side as much as possible and roll them on skids in as high piles as may be convenient with the teams and help at hand, but don't burn them. They will come handy some day in the future in more ways than one, if for nothing else, a summer wood. In any event do as little burning as possible on or around the land.

Next, having cleared the land of everything but stumps, plow lightly. The old rule to plow deep does not hold good in the pine land, as the soil is sufficiently porous to admit moisture and air and the sun's heat at the most but one deep plowing should be made. Plow and plant as early as the season will admit, and do not cultivate too deeply during the growing periods — just sufficiently to keep the weeds from choking the crop. If nature is to be had from the barnyard, it is best to apply it as top dressing after the crop is sown, as it then helps to form the coat so necessary for success. This is all on the supposition that the land is free from clearing, and has not had any of the natural surface coat burned off.

If this coat has been burned off or exhausted by cultivation, then an artificial one must be produced either by cropping to some rank vegetable, or by plowing lightly under for a few successive crops or by applying some chemical that shall act as an absorbent, preventing too rapid evaporation, producing a surface layer of soil that shall act as its own protection. Various substances have been used with excellent success. Land plaster is good on the land anyway, as it acts as a solvent or flux in the chemical reductions in the refractory elements of the soil, but it has only slight effect for the purpose here set forth, unless combined with some more active element. Excellent results have been obtained by combining plaster and chloride of sodium or common salt in proportions of two to one, and applying at the rate of about five bushels to the acre, renewing as often as the effect subsides until a permanent change in the surface soil is made, which can be effected in from three to five years.

Apply the salt and plaster broadcast shortly before plowing, and harrow lightly. The mixture will absorb the moisture from the atmosphere, keeping the surface from drying excessively during the day, and renewing during the night in a large degree what is lost during the presence of the sun, even in dry seasons, thus preventing the too rapid evaporation of the moisture below; in the region of the plant roots. Stable manure should be used when ever available, and other substances such as phosphates, nitrates, guano and the commercial fertilizers may be profitably employed, but none of them will be found of more than temporary value, unless used in conjunction with some chemical absorbent, or some other means is used to arrest the surface evaporation.

Anything that will produce a vegetable mold on the surface, sufficient to develop the original particles, will answer the purpose admirably; hence as have been suggested, a successive

growing and plowing under of sum-rank growing vegetable like clover will in time produce very desirable results, but at a greater ultimate expense in time and loss of use of the land than the immediate application of chemicals. In either case an analysis of the soil to the depth of six or more inches, after only three years of experiment, discloses a most remarkable change, not only in the constituents of the original soil, they having decomposed and rendered free and capable of absorption by the plants, but that new properties are added from the chemical processes that have been engendered, and by absorption from the elements while certain obnoxious acids, not sufficiently localized to name, that were apparently left by the pine in its growth, have been eliminated or neutralized.

Every year will then add rapidly to the depth, as nature herself, with the aid of the first shallow coating, sets her own alchemy at work, and in a remarkably few years a soil that at first was so intractable that it would hardly produce the traditional white bean, will become to all intents and purposes a loam, second in producing power only to the natural alluvians. — *Chicago Northwestern Lumberman.*

THE ART AMATEUR for January, 1901, as a special number having four colored plates beside the eight pages of black and white supplements. The first is a very powerful landscape, an exact fac-simile of a painting by Mr. George Inness, "In the Gloomings". This is a sunset effect on a river landscape, full of fine poetic sentiment and gorgeous but beautiful color. The second is a dainty decorative panel, a group of Marguerites and Butterflies, charmingly reproduced from the original water color. In delicate painting and skillful composition it is sure to be greatly admired for copying or framing.

"Our American Art school," this number, is devoted to a paper by Prof. Ernest Krafft, upon the important School of Industrial Design under Professor L. W. Miller, at Philadelphia. This is fully illustrated with studies and designs. Mr. Roger Riadon concludes his article on Pavis de Chavannes, which contains some charming pictures by the great French artist. An interview with Messrs. H. C. Edwards and Eaton, on illustration for periodicals, replaces Professor Ernest Krafft's "Pen Drawing" for this month, and gives the practical side of the same subject. Mr. W. J. Loftie has a chapter on Print-collecting in his "Art at Home" series. A double page of studies by various artists, and sketches by Eichelberger will be especially interesting to students.

The China Painting section has an article on "Blues," by Mrs. Alling, a full page design for Nasturtium decoration by M. J. Macomber, and other studies by Patty Thum, in addition to color plates noted above. The interest of wood-carving and Modelling is well sustained by a large panel designed by Professor L. W. Miller, another of the set of chain-backs by C. M. Jenckes, and a set of three tiles in terra cotta. A page of notable subjects in Louis Seize style and many other items, make this part an eminently practical one. [Price 55 cents.] MONTAGUE MANNES, Publisher, 29 Union Square, New York City.

It is to be observed that rail road building, which is an important indication of general industrial progress, was in 1890 carried on far more extensively in the South than in any other part of the Union, in spite of the "roaring flood of sorrows" that was to sweep over the land as the result of President Harrison. There is more roaring of steam engines than of floods of sorrow. — *New York Tribune.*

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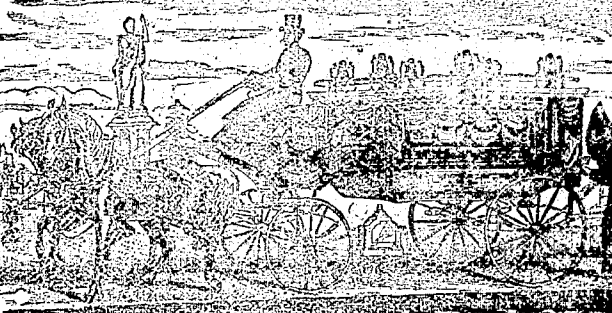
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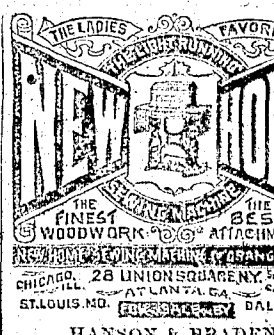
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J. C. HANSON, Local Editor.

THURSDAY, JANUARY 15, 1891.

LOCAL ITEMS.

More snow.

Fresh Peas, at Wright's.

Read Small's new ad., and then profit by his offer.

Strictly Fresh Eggs, at Claggett & Pringles.

The snow delayed yesterday's trains slightly, for the first time this winter.

For pencils and tablets for school uses, go to H. C. Thatcher's.

There was never a more pleasant winter than this has been, thus far.

Closing out sale of Goods, at Mrs. Mitchell's, Saturday, Jan. 17th.

A big shortage in the log crop this season is looked for in Bay City.

Nice, fresh Oranges and Lemons at the store of S. H. & Co.

Pros. Attorney Bell, acquitted himself with honor in his first appearance as prosecutor for the People.

Hats, Feathers, Ornaments and Ribbons, too cheap to mention, at Mrs. Mitchell's, Saturday.

Thos. Toohy, of West Bay City, was in town Tuesday. He drove to Maple Forest.

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All the lumbermen are happy over the beautiful snow. Just enough for perfect work.

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Wright's Restaurant is open day and night. Meals served at all hours.

Rev. P. Desmet, of Cheboygan, will say Mass at the Catholic church, next Sunday, the 18th, at 10 a. m.

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Hon. D. P. Markey was in attendance at the Circuit Court this week, representing the M. C. R. R. Co., in a replevin suit.

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Messrs. Staley and Sanderson are putting in their Pine on Sec. 19 T. 27, N. R. 1 W. They bank on the North Branch.

Miss Day visited friends in Wolverine, last Saturday.

Benzie county supervisors have chosen Benzon for the county seat. The voters of the county will settle the matter at the spring election.

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Mr. and Mrs. E. Salling, of Manistee, are visiting friends in Grayling. Mr. S. also combining considerable business with pleasure.

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The Ladies' Aid Society of the Presbyterian Church, will have a business meeting to-morrow (Friday) evening, at the residence of Mr. Conner. A general attendance is desired.

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MARRIED.—At the residence of S. Peterson, in this village, Saturday evening, Jan. 10th, Julius Rasmussen and Mary Simpson, Justice Woodburn officiating.

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No tidings have yet been had of G. H. Fowles, who so mysteriously disappeared from this place, Dec. tenth. His wife has returned to her old home near Bay City, to await the development of time.

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Attorney Bunker, of Muskegon, appeared in Court this week. He is a special gentleman and will soon be claimed as a member of our bar, as he is always here.

Everybody is invited to purchase Millinery and Fancy Goods, of Mrs. Mitchell, Saturday.

The Ladies' Aid Society of the M. E. Church, will give an Apron and Needle Social at the W. R. C. parlors, Friday (to-morrow) evening of this week. All are invited to attend, the ladies to bring baskets.

Ladies can save money, by buying the famous Broadhead dress goods, at Claggett and Pringles.

Some queer things are done by democratic officers in this town. The owner of a house and lot near the M. E. church has to pay a tax of \$24.00 this year, while the tax on two others within two blocks, equally valuable, are taxed at \$1.00 each.

For Overcoats at reduced prices, call at the Pioneer Store and see for yourself.

The 23rd primary department of school was closed yesterday, on account of the indisposition of Miss Havens. It is hoped her illness is but temporary. Her place is filled to-day by Miss Lizzie Bradley.

Call at H. C. Thatcher's, next door east of the bank, and see his stock of stationery.

Archie Babbitt and family narrowly escaped serious injury, last Sunday, by a runaway team. They were all thrown from the cutter, but not hurt, except the little boy who was slightly bruised and shaken up.

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The following stanza is taken from a hymn in the latest edition of the democratic Hymn Book:

"A charge to keep, I have,
The negro to suppress;
A never dying race to kill,
Or do my level best."

The public installation of Crawford Tent, K. O. T. M., last Thursday evening, at the Opera House, was largely attended, evincing a growing interest in the mutual insurance plan, which they represent, and which was ably presented by Sir Knight D. P. Markey, the installing officer. The hop which followed was fairly patronized, and a very enjoyable time reported.

Circuit Court—The January term of the Circuit Court was short, all cases being disposed of in the forenoon.

The People vs. Fred Babcock. False Pretense, was nolle prossed. The usual decree was taken in the tax cases, and the Replevin case of M. C. R. R. Co. vs. Wm. McCullough, was submitted and taken under advisement by the Court. Several motions were disposed of and the jury discharged and Court adjourned without day.

The attention of our readers is directed to the advertisement of Munn & Co., patent solicitors, in another column. Their name is familiar to patentees throughout the country. In connection with the publication of the SCIENTIFIC AMERICAN for the past forty-five years, they have made the drawings and specification for more than one hundred and twenty thousand inventions, and their facilities for obtaining patents were never better than now.

On Wednesday a party of our young people boarded the 5 o'clock train for Grayling, where they had been invited to attend a K. O. T. M. ball. They were given to understand that it was free, but when they got there received another invitation to pay their way. They set in to enjoy themselves as best they could and succeeded so well that when the train pulled out they were left in Grayling, where they were treated to the accommodations afforded by that town until the morning freight pulled out, when they returned home a badly broken up party. They express themselves as well pleased with their ride up, and say that for enjoyable parties, hotel accommodations, polite clerks, etc., Grayling takes the bakery, but that the next time they go to Grayling they will stay at home.—Ros. News.

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School Notes. School is progressing finely in all the departments.

Present enrollment: High School 58; Intermediate 47; Second Primary 47; First Primary 66.

Quite a number of our pupils moved away during vacation, but new ones are taking their places.

Edna Ostrander, Ida Whipple, Lizzie Walton, Lizzie Bradley, Mamie Erb, Jay Kayner and William Burton, are the new pupils in the High School.

The following are the names of tardy pupils for last week: Will Dyer, Ben Gibbs, Harry Evans, Thor Hanson, Kittie Trueman, Maud Robinson, Iva Wilbur, Nina Squires. Will the parents, kindly aid the teachers in trying to break up this bad habit of tardiness? Very few reasonable excuses are given for being late at school.

The members of the high school are making good use of the journals and papers placed on the reading table. If any of our patrons have good journals, which they have read, and would like to place them on our table, they will be thankfully received and returned when read.

Frank Mickelson, Lee Trumley, Thor Hanson and Harry Evans discussed the "Indian" question at the Lyceum, Friday evening, and did well, considering it was their first attempt at debate. The lyceum proposes soon to challenge the young men in our village.

Geo. L. Alexander has contributed the "Century Magazine" to our reading table. Thanks, W. F. Henkelman has contributed the "North Am. Review."

We again extend a cordial invitation to all who are interested in us, to visit us soon and often. Visitors are so rare that the teachers trouble, when any one enters the room, thinking something has gone wrong.

The Ladies' Aid Society of the Presbyterian Church, will meet every Thursday afternoon at Housstead's hall, for work. All persons interested are cordially invited.

Mrs. H. MASTERS, Pres.

List of Letters Remaining in the Post Office at Grayling, for the week ending Jan. 10, 191:

Chapado, Lefarig Heiderman, Chas. Clark, Reuben Lundstrom, Alf. Erwin, Thos. Meraux, Mose Egeler, Chas. K. Mikhold.

Tucker, Joo. W. Mestrom, Matta Hartigh, Geo. Peterson, Mrs. D.

Persons calling for any of the above letters, will please say "Advertised."

J. M. JONES, P. M.

Cow for Sale. I HAVE a fresh Milch Cow, 6 years old, which came in on the 6th of this month. Will sell calf with the cow. She gives from 18 to 20 quarts of milk per day. For further particulars inquire of T. E. Hastings, Wellington P. O.

For Sale. I HAVE for sale 1 Self Binder, most perfect; 1 Moses' Platform Wagon; 1 platform Buggy; 1 Wheel Harrow Grass Seeder; 1 Bed Cutter; 1 pair of Lumber Bobs; 2 Cook Stoves; 1 Heating Stove; a lot of Cuthooks and Chains, all for half price with time to suit the buyers.

Jan. 15, 1891. G. W. WALTON.

Proposals for Wood. SEALED Proposals will be received at my office until January 31, '91, for furnishing the county with 70 cords of green Lumber, wood to be 18 inches in length, and to be delivered on or before April 1, 1891.

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H. B. WILLIAMS, Aug. 18th, '87.

Order for Publication. State of Michigan: In the Circuit Court for the County of Crawford, in Chancery.

TRON due proof affidavit that Ira Curran, defendant in the above entitled cause pending in this Court, resides out of the said State of Michigan, and that his present residence is unknown and on motion of O. Palmer, Solicitor for Complainant, it is ordered that the said defendant do appear and answer the bill of complaint filed in the said cause within five months from the date of this order, else the bill of complaint shall be taken as confessed. A full and true copy of this order shall be published in the AVAUNCHER, a newspaper printed in the said County of Crawford, and published therein once a week for three consecutive weeks, to-wit: on January 15th, 16th and 17th, 1891.

Dated this 15th day of January, A. D. 1891.

WILLIAM H. SIMESON, Attorney.

Wm. A. Masters, Clerk.

O. Palmer, Complainant's Solicitor.

Notice for Publication. LAND OFFICE, GRAYLING, MICH., DEC. 22nd 1890.

NOTICE is hereby given that the following named parties have filed notice of their intention to make proof in support of their claim, and that said proof will be made before the Register and Receiver at Grayling, Mich., on January 15th, 1891, viz: Ira H. Richardson, Deed of Conveyance No. 284 for the 24th of S. 34, and 1/2 of S. 35, T. 27, N. R. 1 W.

He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of said land, viz: William C. Dean, postpaid, for 1890, 1891, 1892, 1893, 1894, 1895, 1896, 1897, 1898, 1899, 1900, 1901, 1902, 1903, 1904, 1905, 1906, 1907, 1908, 1909, 1910, 1911, 1912, 1913, 1914, 1915, 1916, 1917, 1918, 1919, 1920, 1921, 1922, 1923, 1924, 1925, 1926, 1927, 1928, 1929, 1930, 1931, 1932, 1933, 1934, 1935, 1936, 1937, 1938, 1939, 1940, 1941, 1942, 1943, 1944, 1945, 1946, 1947, 1948, 1949, 1950, 1951, 1952, 1953, 1954, 1955, 1956, 1957, 1958, 1959, 1960, 1961, 1962, 1963, 1964, 1965, 1966, 1967, 1968, 1969, 1970, 1971, 1972, 1973, 1974, 1975, 1976, 1977, 1978, 1979, 1980, 1981, 1982, 1983, 1984, 1985, 1986, 1987, 1988, 1989, 1990, 1991, 1992, 1993, 1994, 1995, 1996, 1997, 1998, 1999, 2000, 2001, 2002, 2003, 2004, 2005, 2006, 2007, 2008, 2009, 2010, 2011, 2012, 2013, 2014, 2015, 2016, 2017, 2018, 2019, 2020, 2021, 2022, 2023, 2024, 2025, 2026, 2027, 2028, 2029, 2030, 2031, 2032, 2033, 2034, 2035, 2036, 2037, 2038, 2039, 2040, 2041, 2042, 2043, 2044, 2045, 2046, 2047, 2048, 2049, 2050, 2051, 2052, 2053, 2054, 2055, 2056, 2057, 2058, 2059, 2060, 2061, 2062, 2063, 2064, 2065, 2066, 2067, 2068, 2069, 2070, 2071, 2072, 2073, 2074, 2075, 2076, 2077, 2078, 2079, 2080, 2081, 2082, 2083, 2084, 2085, 2086, 2087, 2088, 2089, 2090, 2091, 2092, 2093, 2094, 2095, 2096, 2097, 2098, 2099, 2100, 2101, 2102, 2103, 2104, 2105, 2106, 2107, 2108, 2109, 2110, 2111, 2112, 2113, 2114, 2115, 2116, 2117, 2118, 2119, 2120, 2121, 2122, 2123, 2124, 2125, 2126, 2127, 2128, 2129, 2130, 2131, 2132, 2133, 2134, 2135, 2136, 2137, 2138, 2139, 2140, 2141, 2142, 2143, 2144, 2145, 2146, 2147, 2148, 2149, 2150, 2151, 2152, 2153, 2154, 2155, 2156, 2157, 2158, 2159, 2160, 2161, 2162, 2163, 2164, 2165, 2166, 2167, 2168, 2169, 2170, 2171, 2172, 2173, 2174, 2175, 2176, 2177, 2178, 2179, 2180, 2181, 2182, 2183, 2184, 2185, 2186, 2187, 2188, 2189, 2190, 2191, 2192, 2193, 2194, 2195, 2196, 2197, 2198, 2199, 2200, 2201, 2202, 2203, 2204, 2205, 2206, 2207, 2208, 2209, 2210, 2211, 2212, 2213, 2214, 2215, 2216, 2217, 2218, 2219, 2220, 2221, 2222, 2223, 2224, 2225, 2226, 2227, 2228, 2229, 2230, 2231, 2232, 2233, 2234, 2235, 2236, 2237, 2238, 2239, 2240, 2241, 2242, 2243, 2244, 2245, 2246, 2247, 2248, 2249, 2250, 2251, 2252, 2253, 2254, 2255, 2256, 2257, 2258, 2259, 2260, 2261, 2262, 2263, 2264, 2265, 2266, 2267, 2268, 2269, 2270, 2271, 2272, 2273, 2274, 2275, 2276, 2277, 2278, 2279, 2280, 2281, 2282, 2283, 2284, 2285, 2286, 2287, 2288, 2289, 2290, 2291, 2292, 2293, 2294, 2295, 2296, 2297, 2298, 2299, 2300, 2301, 2302, 2303, 2304, 2305, 2306, 2307, 2308, 2309, 2310, 2311, 2312, 2313, 2314, 2315, 2316, 2317, 2318, 2319, 2320, 2321, 2322, 2323, 2324, 2325, 2326, 2327, 2328, 2329, 2330, 2331, 2332, 2333, 2334, 2335, 2336, 2337, 2338, 2339, 2340, 2341, 2342, 2343, 2344, 2345, 2346, 2347, 2348, 2349, 2350, 2351, 2352, 2353, 2354, 2355, 2356, 2357, 2358, 2359, 2360, 2361, 2362, 2363, 2364, 2365, 2366, 2367, 2368, 2369, 2370, 2371, 2372, 2373, 2374, 2375, 2376, 2377, 2378, 2379, 2380, 2381, 2382, 2383, 2384, 2385, 2386, 2387, 2388, 2389, 2390, 2391, 2392, 2393, 2394, 2395, 2396, 2397, 2398, 2399, 2400, 2401, 2402, 2403, 2404, 2405, 2406, 2407, 2408, 2409, 2410, 2411, 2412, 2413, 2414, 2415, 2416, 2417, 2418, 2419, 2420, 2421, 2422, 2423, 2424, 2425, 2426, 2427, 2428, 2429, 2430, 2431, 2432, 2433, 2434, 2435, 2436, 2437, 2438, 2439, 2440, 2441, 2442, 2443, 2444, 2445, 2446, 2447, 2448, 2449, 2450, 2451, 2452, 2453, 2454, 2455, 2456, 2457, 2458, 2459, 2460, 2461, 2462, 2463, 2464, 2465, 2466, 2467, 2468, 2469, 2470, 2471, 2472, 2473, 2474, 2475, 2476, 2477, 2478, 2479, 2480, 2481, 2482, 2483, 2484, 2485, 2486, 2487, 2488, 2489, 2490, 2491, 2492, 2493, 2494, 2495, 2496, 2497, 2498, 2499, 2500, 2501, 2502, 2503, 2504, 2505, 2506, 2507, 2508, 2509, 2510, 2511, 2512, 2513, 2514, 2515, 2516, 2517, 2518, 2519, 2520, 2521, 2522, 2523, 2524, 2525, 2526, 2527, 2528, 2529, 2530, 2531, 2532, 2533, 2534, 2535, 2536, 2537, 2538, 2539, 2540, 2541, 2542, 2543, 2544, 2545, 2546, 2547, 2548, 2549, 2550, 2551, 2552, 2553, 2554, 2555, 2556, 2557, 2558, 2559, 2560, 2561, 2562, 2563, 2564, 2565, 2566, 2567, 2568, 2569, 2570, 2571, 2572, 2573, 2574, 2575, 2576, 2577, 2578, 2579, 2580, 2581, 2582, 2583, 2584, 2585, 2586, 2587, 2588, 2589, 2590, 2591, 2592, 2593, 2594, 2595, 2596, 2597, 2598, 2599, 2600, 2601, 2602, 2603, 2604, 2605, 2606, 2607, 2608, 2609, 2610, 2611, 2612, 2613, 2614, 2615, 2616, 2617, 2618, 2619, 2620, 2621, 2622, 2623, 2624, 2625, 2626, 2627, 2628, 2629, 2630, 2631, 2632, 2633, 2634, 26

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


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